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PART—II— Advertisements, Notices.

GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA
NATIONAL HYDROLOGY PROJECT

INVITATIONS FOR BIDS (IFB)

E-Procurement Notice
(Two Envelope Bidding Process with e-Procurement)
World Bank Funded Project
IBRD Loan 8725-IN

Press Notice Inviting e-Tender NO. 02/EE/WRID/2018-19, Dated 14/02/2019

NATIONAL COMPETITIVE BIDDING

Bid No.:01/ACE/P&DU/PWD(WR)/NHP/2018-19

Memo No. 1(14)/EE/WRID/TECH/2018/1840-66 **Dated: 14-02-2019**

1. This Invitation for Bid follows the General Procurement Notice for this Project that appeared in Development Business on 21st September 2016.

2. The Government of India has received/applied for/intends to apply for financing from the World Bank towards the cost of National Hydrology Project and intends to apply a part of the funds to cover eligible payments under the contracts[1] for construction of works as detailed below.

3. Bidding will be conducted through National Competitive Bidding procedures agreed with the World Bank. Bidding is open to all eligible bidders as defined in the World Bank's Guidelines: Procurement of Goods, Works and Non-Consulting Services under IBRD Loans and IDA Credits & Grants by World Bank Borrowers, January 2011, revised in July 2014, setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

4. Bidders from India should, however, be registered with the Government of Tripura or other State Governments/Government of India, or State/Central Government Undertakings. Bidders from India, who are not registered as above, on the date of bidding, can also participate provided they get themselves registered by the time of contract signing, if they become successful bidders. **Bidders are advised to note the clauses on eligibility (Section I Clause 4) and minimum qualification criteria (Section III – Evaluation and Qualification Criteria), to qualify for the award of the contract.** In addition, please refer to paragraphs 1.6 and 1.7 of the World Bank's Guidelines setting forth the World Bank's policy on conflict of interest.

5. The Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala (***Implementing Agency***) invites online bids for the construction of works detailed below in the table.

Name of Work	Estimated Cost (Rs.)	Bid Security (Rs.)	Cost of Document (Rs.)	Period of Completion
1	2	3	4	5
Construction of 08Nos. deep piezometers in different locations of Tripura. **BidNo.:01/ACE/P&DU/PWD(WR)/NHP/2018-19**	Rs.24,21,772/-	Rs.50000 /-	Rs.5000 /-	6 months from the date of signing of the contract

6. Bidding documents are available online on Website http://tripuratenders.gov.in from 18/02/2019 to 22/03/2019 for a non-refundable fee as indicated in the table, in the form of Demand Draft (DD) on any Scheduled/Nationalized bank payable at Agartala in favour of Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala (Demand draft is to be submitted subsequently as per the procedure described in paragraph 9 below). Bidders will be required to register on the website, which is free of cost. The bidders would be responsible for ensuring that any addenda available on the website is also downloaded and incorporated.

7. For submission of the bid, the bidder is required to have Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) from one of the Certifying Authorities authorised by Government of India for issuing DSC. Aspiring bidders who have not obtained the user ID and password for participating in e-procurement in this Project, may obtain the same from the website: http://tripuratenders.gov.in A non-refundable fee of Rs. 5000.00 (inclusive of tax) is required to be paid (to be submitted along with other documents listed in paragraph 9 (below) before the opening of the bid i.e. before 15.300 Hrs. on 22/03/2019. The mode of payment shall be in the form of DD drawn in favour of Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala, payable at Agartala, from any scheduled Bank.

8. All Bids must be accompanied by a bid security of the amount specified for the work in the table below, drawn in favour of Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala. Bid security will have to be in any one of the forms as specified in the bidding document and shall have to be valid for 45 days beyond the validity of the bid. Procedure for submission of bid security is described in Para 9.

9. Bids must be submitted online on http://tripuratenders.gov.in. (website) on or before 15.00hours on 22/03/2019 and the 'Technical Part' of the bids will be opened online on 22/03/2019 at 15.30 hours (if possible). The "Financial Part" shall remain unopened in the e-procurement system until the second public Bid opening for the financial part. Any bid or modifications to bid (including discount) received outside e-procurement system will not be considered. If the office happens to be closed on the date of opening of the bids as specified, the bids will be opened on the next working day at the same time. The electronic bidding system would not allow any late submission of bids.

10. The bidders are required to submit (a) original demand drafts towards the cost of bid document and registration on e-procurement website (if not previously registered); (b) original bid security in approved form; and (c) original affidavit regarding correctness of information furnished with bid document with Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala before the opening of the technical part of the Bid i.e. before 22/03/2019, either by registered post/speed post/courier or by hand, failing which the bids will be declared non-responsive and will not be opened.

11. A pre-bid meeting will be held on 05/03/2019 at 12.30 hrs. at the office of The Executive Engineer, WR Investigation Division, Kunjaban, Agartala to clarify the issues and to answer questions on any matter that may be raised at that stage as stated in ITB Clause 7.4 of 'Instructions to Bidders' of the bidding document. Bidders are advised to download the bidding document prior to the pre-bid meeting in order for bidders to have a good understanding of the scope of work under this contract for discussion and clarification at the pre-bid meeting.

12. Other details can be seen in the bidding documents. The Employer shall not be held liable for any delays due to system failure beyond its control. Even though the system will attempt to notify the bidders of any bid updates, the Employer shall not be liable for any information not received by the bidder. It is the bidders' responsibility to verify the website for the latest information related to this bid.

On behalf of Governor of Tripura

Executive Engineer,
WR Investigation Division,
Kunjaban, Agartala